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SIR:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of an English language translation of the International Preliminary Examination Report in the counterpart International Application for the Examiner's consideration.

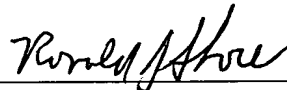
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